DISTRICT OF OREGON FILED

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Clerk, U.S. Bankruptcy Court

Below is an Order of the Court.

PETER C. McKITTRICK U.S. Bankruptcy Judge

### UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT

### DISTRICT OF OREGON

In re: Case No. 17-34395-pcm11

MARK E. DELONG,

Debtor.

ORDER AUTHORIZING EMPLOYMENT OF JUDGE LANG AND KATERS, LLC AS SPECIAL COUNSEL TO DEBTOR

THIS MATTER having come before the Court on the application of the Debtor for an order authorizing him to employ Christopher Katers, Mahany Law and Judge Lang & Katers, LLC (collectively "Judge Lang & Katers, LLC") as special counsel to Debtor pursuant to Section 327(e) of the United States Bankruptcy Code (the "Code") and Bankruptcy Rule 2014; the Court having reviewed the motion and accompanying 2014 statement, and being otherwise duly advised; now, therefore,

### IT IS HEREBY ORDERED as follows:

1) Debtor's Application to Employ Special Counsel is approved, and Debtor is authorized to employ Judge Lang & Katers, LLC as of the date of application as special counsel to Debtor regarding its adversary proceeding against the Bank of Eastern Oregon; and

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Motschenbacher & Blattner, LLP 117 SW Taylor St., Suite 300 Portland, OR 97204 Phone: (503) 417-0500 Fax: (503) 417-0501 2) Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in Debtor's engagement agreement with Judge

Lang & Katers, LLC, the Debtor shall not make any post-petition payments to Judge Lang and

Katers, LLC, whether for a retainer, advance payment for costs associated with the adversary

proceeding, or otherwise. The Debtor shall pay said attorneys for their services, and shall

reimburse expenses incurred by said attorneys, after a separate motion is filed by the Debtor,

with notice to all interested parties, and the entry of an order of the Court approving such fees

and expenses, and the payment thereof, under 11 U.S.C § 330, LBR 2016-1, and other applicable

provisions of the Bankruptcy Code and Local Bankruptcy Rules.

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I certify that the United States Trustee informed me that it does not object to entry of this form of

Order.

Order Presented by:

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